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### N. O. WOMAN LOSES LIFE IN AUTO ACCIDENT ON O. S. T. SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Miss Anna Mae Maignan Hurlled From Car in Accident  
North of Logtown Fork of Trail—Four Injured—  
Treated at Bay Hospital.

One dead, two slightly injured and shaken up with two other seriously injured was the toll when an automobile coming out from New Orleans Sunday afternoon was headed for Bay St. Louis where the party of five planned to eat lunch and return to their home before dark, as told a reporter of The Echo at the hospital shortly after the accident by Mr. G. A. Barnum, owner of the car.

The woman killed was Miss Anna Mae Maignan, aged 62, employed at Feibleman's Store, New Orleans, and residing at 2428 Ursuline avenue. She was riding on the back seat and when the car struck a blowout she was thrown from the auto and died before medical aid could be summoned.

She was seated in the back with Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Reinecke, 3840 Napoleon avenue. Mr. Reinecke was injured about the head and back while Mrs. Reinecke sustained a broken leg below the knee and injury to the right shoulder. Both were seriously hurt and put to bed at the hospital while Mr. and Mrs. Barnum were able to be up and about. However, the four were taken to New Orleans that night on the same train carrying the corpse.

"We had made up the trip," said Mr. Barnum to The Echo, for Miss Maignan's benefit. She was employed and worked diligently with little or no time for diversion and we thought to take her over-the-lake for Easter and give her pleasure, besides a diversion from the humdrum of her every day existence."

Mrs. Barnum was driving the automobile, a large sedan, when the accident occurred.

Mrs. Barnum said that she was driving at a moderate rate of speed when a tire on a rear wheel was punctured, causing her to lose control of the automobile.

Miss Maignan Thrown Out.

The car was reported to have run off the highway and turned over three times. Only Miss Maignan was thrown from the car, the others remaining inside until the automobile came to a stop.

Mrs. Barnum and Mrs. Reinecke are sisters.

The injured spoke highly of the medical attention and hospitalization they had received at the King's Daughters Hospital, Bay St. Louis.

### ANNUAL ROTARY ELECTION

John J. McDonald President  
Elect For New Year—  
Scafide, V. P.

John J. McDonald present vice-president was unanimously elected president, Arthur A. Scafide, present secretary-treasurer, vice president, and Joseph R. Scharff, secretary-treasurer, at Bay St. Louis Rotary Club annual election, held Tuesday following regular supper-meeting at the Answer.

These selections were made from the new (1933-34) board of directors elected the same evening, composed of Dr. James A. Evans, C. C. McDonald, Arthur A. Scafide, M. E. Badon, Rev. J. E. Gray, Joseph R. Scharff, John J. McDonald, Charles G. Moreau.

Newly-elected officers as well as members have been added to the rosters office for the new year during first week of July.

Bay St. Louis Rotary, business and professional men's club, is now in its eighth year of continuous activity, and despite the depression and consequent adverse conditions has flourished to a point that several new members have been added to the roster recently.

At the meeting Tuesday night President-elect McDonald was elected official delegate to the La-Miss, district convention, to be held at Vicksburg, May 4 and 5. The present president and other members plan to attend.

### MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS INTERESTING MEET AT PARSONAGE

Report From Recent Supper  
Benefit—Topic of Meeting  
Discussed by Mrs. Nelson

The Woman's Missionary Society held its monthly meeting on Tuesday, April 18th at 3 o'clock, at the Methodist Parsonage with Mesdames Gray, Buckley and James as hostesses.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Buckley.

The Society expressed its appreciation of the splendid patronage given them at their supper at the Answer, for they realized between \$45.00 and \$50.00.

The scripture lesson, "Godliness; Neighbors to All" from Matthew V, 43-48 was led by Mrs. Koch.

The topic for the afternoon, "The Deaconess, A Good Neighbor" was interestingly discussed by Mrs. Nelson, who gave us quite an acquaintance with the work done by these women in Community houses.

The closing prayer was led by Mrs. Shipp.

After delicious refreshments were served, the meeting adjourned to meet in May with Mrs. E. Davis with Mrs. Joyner and Mrs. Koch as joint hostesses.

### BAY HI SENIORS TO PRESENT CLASS PLAY ON FRIDAY, MAY 5TH.

Forerunner of Commencement Exercises of City  
School Event of  
Interest.

Bay High Seniors have selected as their annual class play, "In The Good Old Summer Time" which will be presented on Friday, May 5, at eight o'clock. This hilarious three-act farce, like the season, it represents, is filled with showers of laughter, clouds of misunderstandings, and situations as sparkling as one of those rare days in June.

The cast, which is made up of the entire senior class, includes a retired Major from India, a Swede Cook, the Irish handy man, college boys out for a good time, traveling salesmen who don't want to go fishing, new-weds, henpeck men, a radio crooner, and Uncle Enoch and Aunt Maria, whose romance started some forty years ago. The Seabreeze hotel forms the background for this motley array of guests.

Tickets now on sale, and may be secured from the class business managers, Earl Ramond, Herman Holleman and Ed. Marquez.

ballot booth. But they wouldn't on the floor.

Some would. More of them would now than year ago. But their number is unknown.

But the statement can be made, on personal knowledge and information, that when the Legislature reconvenes there will be a sizeable "beer bloc" in both houses.

Threats Losing Power.

The bogy of the Anti-Saloon league and the threats of the ministerial unions are not as effective as they were a little time past. It is a fact, though one that can't be proved by statistics, that public demand for beer, and public sentiment for repeal, both have increased materially in Mississippi, and that more and more office-holders are beginning to wonder whether a vote of beer would mean their political damnation or their re-election. Lost of them are on the fence and it wouldn't take much to start a stampede for the beer wagon.

The same is true of the state press. More editors than ever before are also on the fence, silent on the subject, or quibbling. The majority of the papers are ardently dry but what would the promise of beer advertising do?

"Brandon News" Wet.

One notable exception is the Rankin county weekly, "The Brandon News," which, in the heart of the dry belt, has championed beer for years and for temperance more than two years and hasn't been put out of business.

Mississippi membership in the national woman's organization for prohibition reform is small, compared with that in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union and the Anti-Saloon league, but it is active and includes women of prominence and ability.

Perhaps the best evidence of the growth of the beer movement in Mississippi and of increased sentiment for repeal is a certain of the United Drys of Mississippi.

Wets Organizing.

This organization, representing all the temperance and prohibition bodies and all the denominational preachers, was created to meet the emergency, to direct an active propaganda and political campaign. It is organized on a county basis.

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### GULF PARK REVIEW FRIDAY, 28

Outstanding Entertainment  
In Annual Visit—Auspices  
Bay St. Louis Rotary

Annual Review of Gulf Park College, presented in Bay St. Louis through courtesy President Richard G. Cox, and under auspices of Bay St. Louis Rotary Club, will be shown at Bay High School auditorium on Friday, night of next week, 8:15, one week from today.

An unusually attractive program will be presented this year, well worthy of one's time and attention. Popular prices will prevail, 25 cents for adults, children 15 cents.

Proceeds to be appropriated on a 50-50 basis between the Rotary Club night school fund and Central School P.T. A. fund, hence a double benefit.

Tickets are now on sale. Mrs. C. C. McDonald is chairlady for the P.T. A., while a special committee represents the Rotary, of which John J. McDonald, is chairman.

Title of the entertainment this year is "Gulf Park Divertissements," with approximately forty-five young ladies coming over to take part, under the direction of Misses Alice McNutt and Miss Mary Minge Graham. Pianists, Misses Steck and Hardy. Special stage properties direct from Gulf Park auditorium stage.

### REINSTATING OF CARL MARSHALL IS ORDERED BY MISS. SUPREME COURT

Was Disbarred on Technical Charge—Court Upholds  
Decision of Judge Russell in Lower Court of This  
District—Part of Opinion.

Jackson, Miss., April 17.—An evenly divided state supreme court today ordered the reinstatement of Carl Marshall, 49-year-old coast attorney, as a member of the Mississippi state bar.

Justice Ethridge, Griffith and Cook, in the opinion which prevailed, declared that "we believe that repentance and rehabilitation has been profound, thorough, sincere and permanent."

Chief Justice Smith and Judges Anderson and McGowan, in dissenting opinions, contended that if Marshall were to be reinstated, the court will not be consistent with its action of a year ago, when it disbarred the Bay St. Louis attorney for his alleged part in the \$80,000 Warrentite scandal.

"We believe the applicant here has realized that he is under the watchful eyes of both friends and foes," the trio of justices affirming his reinstatement wrote "and that he will have the counsel of his friends in the community in which he lives, and especially of those who have pledged themselves to establish his readmission."

The 3-3 division of the high tribunal automatically upheld the ruling of Chancellor D. M. Russell, Hancock county, granting Marshall's petition for reinstatement, from which the state bar had appealed. It requires a majority of the court to reverse a lower court finding.

The dissenting justices contended that Marshall should not be returned to good standing in the bar because of his refusal to disclose "properly" the disposition of \$62,000 of the money he admitted was paid in cash in a Memphis hotel in 1929 by an attorney for a Boston road firm.

The transaction, termed, "technical blackmail" by the six-judge court a year ago when Marshall was disbarred, purportedly was made during a time when the state contemplated filing suit of \$10,000,000 against the Boston firm for alleged violation of anti-trust laws. The brief in the case has been drawn up, but along with evidence the state was to base its case is alleged to be by the court to have been the basis of the transaction, the brief and evidence being allegedly turned over to the road attorney when the money was paid Marshall.

Marshall's version of his distribution of the \$62,000 unaccounted for was that it was collected as an "accommodation" for Jack Wilson, typical road man of Chicago.

The \$80,000 transaction resulted in impeachment charges being filed against Lester C. Franklin, then chairman of the State Tax Commission, but he was acquitted when the

### BOYS AND GIRLS HAIL WARM DAYS AS BEST OF YEAR

Youngsters of Bay St. Louis  
Begin to Feel The Outdoor  
Call.

If warm weather means anything to anyone, it means much to the boys and girls of Bay St. Louis.

After the long winter months, content with occasional meetings at their regular meeting places, they are now "ready to go."

Warm weather is the season of awakening and great activity among the youngsters.

Plans are already being made around here for various kinds of outings in which they will be the principal participants.

The leaders of these young groups take a keen interest in the enjoyment which the boys and girls get out of the hikes they take to the open country. It is very interesting to them to watch the eagerness with which they study nature and make little discoveries about flowers, plants and animal life on these trips.

The boys are getting their clothes in shape and gathering together their kits for outdoor activities. The girls are learning new songs and also getting their uniforms ready for the trips which will be made to the country.

### TUESDAY'S ELECTION ELECTS R. C. COWAN TO OFFICE DIST. ATTORNEY

District Gives Handsome Majority—Gains Hancock  
By Narrow Margin.

MANIERI CLEARED BY  
JUDGE O'HARA OF  
AN UNJUST CHARGE

Letter From Criminal District  
Court at New Orleans  
Clears Good Name.

It will be remembered some two or three weeks since the New Orleans Press carried extensive news stories of an assault, beating and wounding occurrence taking place at night time and also at which time the parties concerned were charged with breaking and entering in the night time.

Russell Manieri, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew T. Manieri, happened to be a passerby at the time and as a consequence his name was involved with others who were guilty of the disturbance.

Bay St. Louis friends were not prone to believe the charge and it was denied by the Manieri family. But later Judge Wm. T. O'Hara, of Section A, Criminal District Court, parish of Orleans, issued a letter in which young Manieri is cleared and exonerated. The Echo has the original letter from Judge O'Hara and we copy it herewith feeling that a grave injustice has been done to a Bay St. Louis boy of good standing and general high repute.

"New Orleans, April 7, 1933, To Whom It May Concern:

Russell C. Manieri, of Bay St. Louis, was charged in the Second District Precinct Station with breaking and entering in the night-time, and assault and battery. Growing out of the same case, he was charged in the Criminal District Court the following day with assault, beating and wounding. The purpose of this letter is to certify that to my knowledge there was, absolutely, no basis for the police to book Mr. Manieri with the charge of breaking and entering in the night-time. As for the assault and battery, or assault, beating and wounding case, from my investigation I am satisfied that Mr. Manieri had no culpable connection with this case, but merely chanced to be a bystander and he intervened to quell a disturbance and break up a fight.

"It is my personal opinion that this entire matter is a grave injustice to Mr. Manieri."

St. Stanislaus  
Brother Assigned to  
Central Africa

The Rev. Brother Leonard of the St. Stanislaus College has been notified by the Provincial of the Brotherhood of the Sacred Heart, that he has been appointed to go to Central Africa with three other brothers from the North. In this African mission there are already four other brothers.

In addition to Bro. Leonard the only other brother known of the four to go, in July, is Bro. Ernest, who was teaching in Bay St. Louis last year, but now located at Natchez.

Bro. Leonard entered the congregation of the Brothers of the Sacred Heart, July 15, 1919. His parents lived at Fall River, Mass.

The mission to which these brothers are destined is on the west Nile some one hundred miles from the present mission at Gulu. They will disembark at Mombasa, on the Red Sea, from which they will go into the interior by rail for about three hundred miles then by automobile for two hundred more before they will arrive at their place of abode.

Brothers must be under 35 years for this work and their services are voluntary. They will work in the cause of civilization and education.

ants, he was rehabilitated and worthy of being restored to practice law.

The court construed the filing of the large number of affidavits was done "to satisfy the state bar as well as the general public, that Marshall's restoration to practice would not only not be harmful to the administration of justice, but would meet with the approval of that part of the bar who live in proximity to the petitioner."

Early returns, which were confirmed later, gave R. C. Cowan 3461 votes while his opponent, Luther W. Maples, scored 1989 in the special election held Tuesday in the second judicial district for the office of district attorney, made vacant by the recent election of W. M. Colmer, of Pascagoula, to Congress, which seat he assumed recently.

Cowan's majority, according to complete reports available is 1472.

The vote by counties follows: Harrison, Cowan 2242; Maples 1118; Jackson, Cowan 694, Maples 297; George, Cowan 82; Maples 170; Stone, Cowan 151, Maples 126; Hancock, 438, Maples 420.

Cowan served the district as district attorney from 1920 to 1928 and Maples is past commander of the state department of the American Legion. Both residents of Gulfport.

"Cliff" Cowan, as he is popularly and affectionately called by all who know him, and who formerly served this district in the capacity of district attorney, as one of the best known men of the Gulf Coast and adjacent territory. At the end of his second term he refused to run and retired to private life in order to take care of a lucrative law practice that awaited him. At this time Colmer was elected his successor.

Mr. Cowan is exceedingly popular with local law fraternity and Hancock county courthouse officials and as much with many local citizens.

### Collection of Quilts To Be Exhibited This Friday Afternoon, 2-5

Are you interested in quilts? If you're not, you will be when you see the display of quilts to be shown by the Woman's Missionary Society in the Banquet Hall of the Masonic Temple on this Friday, April 21st, from 2 to 5.

As usual, these ladies are giving more than value received for your money for they are charging only ten cents for this unique form of entertainment. Think of it, only ten pennies to see this interesting collection of quilts, some of which are more than 100 years old. Then too, if you've entered your quilt you have a chance at the prize which will be given for the most unusual quilt.

Homemade cakes and candies, as only the Missionary ladies can make them, will be on sale.

A big surprise awaits you, but its a secret and will be known to those who are wise enough to be there.

### Bay Resident Again Selected As District Deputy Grand Matron

Mrs. Lillie K. Leonhard of Bay St. Louis, has been re-appointed district deputy grand matron, by Mrs. Josie W. Rankin, of Gulfport, elected worthy grand matron of the Eastern Star Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star at the annual election of officers Wednesday morning in 27th annual convention at Jackson.

Mrs. Leonhard has actively and successfully served in this position of honor and trust for several consecutive terms and her selection again will be well received within as well as without the bounds of the circle.

Dave H. Weston, Logtown, was re-elected a member of the O. E. S. Home Committee and will serve as chairman of the committee.

The Echo congratulates the two O. E. S. workers on the occasion of their re-appointment which makes for their continued success.

### Calendar of Coming Events

Friday, April 21.—Quilt Exhibit, Banquet Hall, Masonic Temple, from 2 to 5 P. M. Benefit Woman's Missionary Society.

Saturday, April 22.—Easter Season hall, at Pine Hills Clubhouse.—Open to the public.

Friday, April 28.—Gulf Park College Review, Central School auditorium, benefit Rotary Night School fund and Central School P.T. A.

Sunday, April 30.—"Dulcy" 3-act comedy, by Stanislaus Players, at St. Stanislaus College. Two performances. 2:15 and 8:15.

Friday, May 5.—"In the Good Old Summer Time"—Senior play by the Senior Class of Bay High school.



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## "NEW DEAL" CAUSES CHANGES

THAT a "new deal" is in prospect in what is sometimes called 'big business' becomes increasingly evident. Following the outspoken condemnation of past practices by President Roosevelt and under the leadership of its own head, the Chase National Bank of New York has decided to "promptly" liquidate a farflung security distributing organization, with more than 1,000 employees and to disassociate itself in the management and control of its securities corporation.

These changes, it is interesting to learn, are explained by Winthrop W. Alrich, the bank's head, as "responsive to enlightened public opinion."

Another sign of the time is the effort by Richard Whitney, president of the New York Stock Exchange, to reform the exchange through corrective changes in the practices complained of by the public in the past few years. Recently, Mr. Whitney had a conference with the President, at which he outlined the suggested modifications, seeking to lessen broker's loans, curb pool operations and further restrict short selling. However, it is understood that the President was not diverted from his determination to rigidly supervise stock exchanges and legislation to this end will be vigorously pushed.

## PROPERTY VALUES WILL BE FIRST TO RETURN.

TRANSFER of a few pieces of real estate the past few days in this vicinity serves as an indication of sustained values and evidences the return of realty values will be one of the first factors to be re-established with normal times.

Of this there is no doubt. Rentals have dropped to ridiculous levels. Have cheapen property to such extent that even tenants consider payment of rent as a negligible matter, forgetting the business and moral side of the obligation. It is easy to see that a tenant who has well taken care of the owner's property is going to be the one given preference in future.

Rentals will again return. They will be the first to soar. And the worthy tenant is going to be the one taken care of when that time arrives. The indifferent one will be asked to vacate.

## PUZZLING QUERIES.

THERE are many people who like to argue about the long discussed query whether the tail wags the dog or the dog wags the tail. At first sight the question may seem absurd but observation of some dogs makes the answer doubtful.

Along the same line is the question that worries some merchants—whether advertising makes merchants or merchants make advertising. At first inspection, this question is puzzling to some business men but close observation of successful merchants will demonstrate the answer.

It is interesting to observe that good trading towns are represented by good newspapers. This is more than a coincidence. The conclusion is inescapable that successful merchants, utilizing profitable advertising, are responsible for the good looking newspapers that go out from their communities to tell the people about trade opportunities.

## PRESIDENT'S DAY.

THAT William Randolph Hearst has suggested Sunday, April 30, be designated as President's Day, in view of the success of President Roosevelt, is a gesture that wins both approbation and happy applause. And it is well as a sense of standing recognition that President's Day be observed over the country. Nationally and down to the very community.

We pay tribute to men and women after they are gone. We pay too little regard to their merits and fail to show slightest manifestation of our appreciation while they are still in the flesh. It seems the world would rather tear or destroy those who are successful, who accomplish and build. And then when they pass away and are no more we seem to exhibit much distress at our lack of proper feeling and then either retribution or contrition! This is either a funny world or perhaps we are a funny people.

## DON'T CRITICIZE NATURE.

WILL Rogers, something of an American institution, in commenting on the loss of the Akron, says:

"Now, don't fly off and say that 'aviation is not safe and practical.' There are certain things nature can do to you, whether it is an earthquake in California, a flood in Mississippi, a tornado in Ohio, or a drought in Arkansas. When nature enters into it, don't criticize."

Most any persuasive talker can convince himself that his misfortunes have been caused by somebody else.

Looking up: Business failures during February were much fewer than in the same month, last year.

The world may be facing economic difficulties but the good old summer time will find many young people believing that two can live as cheap as one.

## CARL MARSHALL AND RE-INSTATEMENT

REINSTATEMENT of Carl Marshall to practice by a decision rendered Monday by the Mississippi Supreme Court was naturally received here with a feeling of interest and gratification, to say the least. Particularly since Mr. Marshall resides here and Hancock county has been his home for practically his full life and the scene of many triumphs that led to a brilliant and successful career.

Attorney Marshall was found guilty of a technical charge and as a result denied right to practice. While he has many friends over the commonwealth of Mississippi, it must be borne in mind that no man who has achieved any kind of success, whether it be local or otherwise, is without his enemies and political foes. It appears to be as unjust as it is a general sequence where a man is in any way successful in his community, county or State he sooner or later must fight the attacks of others. And while Attorney Marshall might have lacked discretion in certain business transactions or was guilty of technical wrongdoing, it must be borne in mind he was treated in a manner that smacks of not only severe but in the extreme.

When the State finds a man guilty of wrongdoing it puts him away, but it clothes and feeds him, gives him every consideration possible and looks after his welfare. He is protected from the onslaughts of society, given sanctuary, as it were, and the world goes by while he is unmolested. He is not blackened and turned loose in the drift of the world to be engulfed, unprotected, in its maelstrom.

It is not our purpose to enter into the merits or demerits of this case. It is not within our province. We feel, however, that the findings of the just and eminent jurist, Judge D. M. Russell, who reviewed the case fully and impartially, in the lower court, was justly sustained in the decision, even though the Supreme Court was divided fifty-fifty in its finding.

Carl Marshall, vindicated, will emerge a bigger man than ever. He has the ability, loyalty and other attributes that will win for him high place and the hope is expressed that in due time he will again take up his laurels where he was forced to lay them aside, for the time being, at least.

Hundreds of letters and telegrams from all over the State and elsewhere have been pouring in and these must indeed be gratifying to the yet young lawyer who has suffered the sting caused by those who would deprive him of a livelihood.

## REDUCED R. R. RATES

RAILROAD fares have been reduced to an extent that leaves no comment on the high cost of travel. Too frequently have the charges been voiced that railroad fares are extremely high.

To meet an unusual situation as the present when all business has dropped to a sub-normally low level, railroads have seemingly come to this rescue and slashed mileage rates as well as excursion and other fares leaving no room for complaint.

It has been charged that the bus has detracted considerably from railroad travel. We do not think so to that appreciable extent some would have it appear. The truth of the matter is people are not traveling. They have not the price. That patronage accorded to a competitive concern is small in the comparative sense and amounts to nil.

Real cause of fallen off railroad travel is due to the depressed times. People are prone to travel. They like it. It is the same the world over. American people, however, travel most. They take a trip on the slightest pretense or provocation. A journey in sight is always a pleasing prospect. And one well remembers only a few years since how heavy the railroad travel. It was the same with hotel patronage. One had to wire ahead for reservations. No one ever thought of a distant trip without first procuring hotel reservations. And the same with traveling. It was necessary to get a berth far ahead of time. Contrast this with today.

We do not think the alleged high rate has been mainly responsible for the falling off of travel, but, as stated, principally due to lack of money. However, with the drastic reductions now in force as an extraordinary inducement there should be revival in travel and business for the company. It will be remembered these rates are only on for six months and serve as an experiment. It will be watched with interest.

## SEAWALL AND OUR BEST INTERESTS

COMMUNICATIONS and messages have come to The Echo by the scores calling attention to the condition of parts of Bay Waveland seawall since the torrential and continued rains last week, accompanied by a high and sweeping tide.

These communications and messages have been of two kinds solicitous and derogatory of those of whom it seems the duty to concern themselves.

It is easy to criticize and condemn. While we, too, would like to see the wall rehabilitated, yet it would take quite a large sum of money such as could only be raised by another bond issue and to this there are two obstacles, major ones at that. Our people would not stand for another bond issue just now and further the sale of such bonds would be doubtful.

However, with every confidence in those who represent the public and to whose care these responsibilities rest, we feel certain that judgment and action on the result, the matter will receive attention—at least, temporary. To keep intact what we have, to prevent further erosion and deterioration and to do the best at least expense for the larger number of taxpayers and property owners. That is the aim.

We hope that at some time the county will be in a condition to considerably revamp the entire structure and to not only save what has been spent but to secure the safety of property behind the wall. It should be made into a veritable Gibraltar, impregnable and fortified to the maximum that protection purpose for which it was constructed.

## SAUNTERINGS

From Where The West Begins

By JOHN T. MEYERS  
(For the Sea Coast Echo)

### FIESTA de SAN JACINTO.

MONDAY marked the beginning of another yearly Fiesta de Jacinto celebration in San Antonio. Downtown streets are gayly draped with flags and bunting. By night Alamo Plaza is ablaze in the glare of vari-colored lights strung for this memorial occasion.

Across the north end of spacious, palm-lined plaza is located the Alamo—a place most sacred to the hearts of native Texans. It was here a mere handful of brave Texan pioneers fought and died rather than surrender to an overwhelming foe. Within the walls of this hallowed ground the heroic deeds of Bowie, Travis, Houston, Crockett, and others were enacted.

The Alamo has been kept in remarkable state of preservation. Hundreds of tourists, as well as native San Antonians visit this sacred shrine of Texas' democracy each day.

Inside, amid its huge, moldering, cell-like rooms there is a strange, hypnotic atmosphere that tends to obliterate the present, and suddenly sweeps one back into the dark bosom of the past. From the shadows herein the Alamo seems to come the voices of heroic men. Sharp, encouraging commands of leaders, intermingling the moans of men wounded and dying—but these moans do not carry a tone of concern for self—instead, a prayer to regain the line of duty beside their brave comrades, desperately fighting for freedom, democracy, and the land they loved.

Perhaps these sounds are born of one's imagination, likely they are but the sigh of the wind as it rustles through the tall, stately palm trees outside. Be what they may, one cannot but feel a deeper and truer sense of patriotism having once visited the Alamo, and strolled about the lovely, serene courtyard adjoining.

During Fiesta de Jacinto week, a Battle of Flowers parade, commemorating the Battle of San Jacinto, is staged upon the streets. As this procession passes before the Alamo, a cannon charged with roses booms out, and sprays this shrine with its sweet-scented ammunition.

The battle of San Jacinto was fought in 1836. It was here that the horrible massacre at the Alamo was avenged, and the famous battle cry, "Remember the Alamo" was carried into action. Texas then gained her independence from Mexican rule.

### SCENES ON THE PLAZAS.

IN the region of Main Plaza, Military Plaza, Market Plaza, and bordering sections of this quaint city where customs and scenes are decidedly akin to a land south of the Rio Grande, carnival shows, rides, and numerous and various concession booths have sprung into existence for Fiesta week.

Here is riotous, unshackled, fun and noise—the squeak of the speller, the smell of cooking hamburgers and hot dogs, and above all, the shrill, exhilarating notes of the calliope urging the throngs on to carefree, reckless spending.

All sorts of gambling devices and games are on hand for those who would flirt with fickle Dame Chance. There are numbered wheels, electrically operated horse race tracks, balls to be thrown into tubs and buckets, booths to test one's skill at tossing rings over flashy prizes, that are seldom, if ever, won. Indian blankets, nickel-plated six shooters, large hams, slabs of bacon, candy, Spanish shawls, fake jewelry, cheap watches, and elaborately decorated bridge lamps are among the most popular prizes on display to attract the eye of chance takers.

THERE are merry-go-rounds, freak shows, daredevil acts, shows touted 'for men only' where girls dressed in grass skirts give a hula hula performance on a platform outside, while the speller slyly winks, and promises it's a 'wow' on the inside.

WHILE the carnival people were getting ready for the opening day, we sauntered about, and gave things the once over. One of the ham wheel booths had already started operating, or playing, as carnival people would say.

A small, early, crowd had gathered, and a few were laying nickles on some of the numbers. One fellow had several hams before him, and as we stood watching he won another. This time he was the only player. This led the rest of the on-lookers to try their luck. But they were not so lucky it seemed.

After a while the crowd moved on, but your columnist snooted around for a 'look see.' And our guess was true to form. The bird that had been winning the hams was a "come on." In carnival lingo this means one or two house men, who mingle with the crowd at the booth, and do the flashy winning to stimulate others to try their luck. Some of these wheels are crooked, and can be stopped on certain numbers at the will of the operator.

Unaware that a newspaper reporter was within hearing, the boss told the 'come on' worker, evidently a new comer, that he was doing good. He advised him to go to lunch, and also mentioned that there would be a couple more boys to work with him that night, so the "rubes" wouldn't get wise.

LAST year at the carnival a crooked concessioner was plying his trick with good success until he

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Masonic Temple,M. JUDEN, Secy.-Treas.  
Bay St. Louis, Miss.

### Birth of a Beautiful Friendship.

'Twas in a restaurant they met,  
Romeo and Juliet,  
He had no cash to pay the debt,  
So Romeo'd what Juliet.  
—The Baptist.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Administrators' Notice to Creditors of John W. Kammer, Deceased. Letters of Administration having been granted on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1933 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of John W. Kammer, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within six months from this date or said claims will be forever barred.

This, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1933.  
MRS. HENRIETTA KAMMER,  
Administratrix.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Letters of Administration having been granted on the 19th day of April, A. D. 1933 by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of W. S. Roberson, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said court for probate and registration according to law within six months from this date or said claims will be forever barred.

This, the 21st day of April, A. D. 1933.  
SADIE LEE ROBBERSON,  
Administratrix.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The Trustees of the following schools and the County Supt. of Education will let the transportation for all routes on the days indicated. Routes to be let to the lowest responsible bidder who is able to furnish a solvent bond to the amount of the bid.

Sellers, Thursday May 4, 1933, 10:00 A. M.  
Dedaux, Thursday, May 4, 1933, 2:00 P. M.  
Catahoula, Monday, May 8, 1933, 10:00 A. M.  
Kila, Monday, May 8, 1933; 2:00 P. M.  
Flat Top, Tuesday, May 9, 1933, 10:00 A. M.  
Aaron Academy, Tuesday, May 9, 1933, 2:00 P. M.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

A. S. McQUEEN,  
County Supt. of Education.  
April 10, 1933.

### LEGAL NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the City of Bay St. Louis, will offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000.00) of its refunding bonds to mature Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) a year for five years. Bids are requested on bonds bearing interest at 6%.

All bids to be accompanied by certified check of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) to be validated by the City of Bay St. Louis, the cost of validation to be paid by the City. The bonds to be in the denomination of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), as per resolution and ordinance on file.

The Board of Mayor and Commissioners reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids must be filed with the City Clerk on or before Monday, April 10th, 1933 at six O'clock P. M.

H. GRADY PERKINS,  
Commissioner of Public Utilities.  
City Clerk.

### NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION TO FILL THE VACANCY OF MAYOR IN THE TOWN OF WAVELAND, MISSISSIPPI.

Notice is hereby given that on the 29th day of April, 1933 an election will be held in the Town Hall in the Town of Waveland, Mississippi, in legal hours, for the election of a Mayor for the Town of Waveland, to fill the vacancy in said office of Mayor, caused by the death of Honorable E. G. Schwartz.

ALPHONSE B. FAVRE,  
C. C. HAVA,  
ROGER BORDAGE,  
Commissioners of Election.  
GEO. T. HERLIHY,  
Secy. Town of Waveland.

### CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.  
To J. K. Sadler.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of April, A. D. 1933, to defend the suit No. 3553, in said Court of Corda E. McFarland, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 4th day of April, A. D. 1933.  
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk

### CHANCERY SUMMONS

THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.  
To A. J. O'Keefe.

You are summoned to appear before the Chancery Court of the County of Hancock, in said State, on the Second Monday of April, A. D. 1933, to defend the suit No. 3548, in said Court of Henry H. Frenkel, wherein you are a Defendant.

This 3rd day of March, A. D. 1933  
(SEAL) A. G. FAVRE, Clerk

LOUISVILLE &amp; NASHVILLE R. R.

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For reservations and further information consult any passenger or ticket agent of the







## The Sea Coast Echo

## City Echoes

—Mrs. Ralph Rugan was a visitor to New Orleans Monday for the day, returning home late that evening.

—Miss Irma Koch is visiting relatives and attending Eastern Star Grand Chapter in Jackson, Miss., this week.

—The Very Rev. Father Guadin, S. J., has been the guest of the Mr. and Mrs. Jos. J. Grevenberg family on Court Street.

—Mr. Marchmont Schwartz has returned to Notre Dame University, having spent his Easter vacation with relatives and friends here.

—Mrs. S. A. Power, Mrs. Kenneth Pepperdine and Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Partridge motored to New Orleans Wednesday for the day.

—Miss Fifi Hosmer of New Orleans is spending a while visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Sylvia L. Lader, and family, in Carroll avenue.

—Miss Mirelle Testard, attractive young lady of New Orleans, was the attractive house guest of Mrs. August Rauxet and Miss Odille Rauxet, during the first part of the week, at the family home in Main street.

—Sister Thersella and Mother Regina, St. Joseph's Academy, Baton Rouge, La., have returned home after a visit of several days to the local convent. Mother Regina is a sister of Mrs. George E. Pitcher of Bay St. Louis.

—Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Biering and two daughters, Evelyn and Madeline of Bozeman, Montana, motored down to Logtown, Miss., visiting at the old Koch home, visiting relatives and friends for an indefinite stay. Mrs. Biering will be remembered as the former Miss May Koch.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Staehle, of New Orleans, arrived for the Easter week-end and will remain for the balance of spring and the full summer at their home in Carre Court, which they purchased last year. Mr. Staehle is a brother of Mr. W. A. Staehle, St. Charles street and beach boulevard.

—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Briede have returned to their home in New Orleans after a ten-day visit to their summer place in Coleman avenue. They were visited during their stay by Mrs. W. J. Curry, their daughter, and son, W. J. Jr. Mr. Briede announces that he and his family will soon be back for the full summer season.

—Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Toca and their young son, Emile Jr., have returned to their home in New Orleans after spending the week-end with Mrs. Toca's mother, Mrs. F. C. Boudages and her daughter, Miss Daisy Boudages. The little family enjoyed the visit back home and glad to be with friends of their former home town again.

—Mrs. L. S. Elliott returned home Wednesday forenoon from New Orleans where she spent a month, part at Hotel Dieu and the balance at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Thompson, in Delgado Drive, New Orleans. Mrs. Elliott's friends will learn with pleasure of her recovery and of her return to home and loved ones again.

—Messrs. Reginald Blaize, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Blaize, and E. J. Giering, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Giering, after spending the Easter week-end visiting at the homes of their respective parents, have returned to Baton Rouge and resumed their studies at the State University. Both extremely popular, their visit was a source of pleasure to many friends.

—A group of young ladies of the Sigma Sigma Sorority of New Orleans, composed of Lucie Hynes, Christine Eustis, Eliska Smith, Clare Harvey, Joyce Perez, Lillian Green, Catherine Donahue, Elizabeth Gungnet, spent the Easter holidays in Bay St. Louis, at the Olsen home, accompanied by Mrs. Author Wolfe. They report an enjoyable time and look forward to a return visit.

—Mrs. Louis Spurl of New Orleans came out for the week end and is spending the Easter week visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. Staehle, and family, at their home in St. Charles street and South Beach Boulevard. Mrs. W. J. Kidd entertained informally a half dozen of neighbors Tuesday afternoon to compliment Mrs. Spurl.

—Mr. and Mrs. Maurits Pylk, enamored with the Mississippi Gulf Coast, and owners of summer home on the Bay St. Louis beach, came out from New Orleans during the latter part of the past week and have opened their summer home for the season, where they are "at home" to their friends. Mr. and Mrs. Pylk open their home early every season in order to have a longer stay on the Coast.

—Miss Eloise Schwall, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Schwall, and Mr. Roland Talliax of New Orleans, announced their marriage last Sunday to Mr. and Mrs. Schwall, which event had taken place March 6, last year at Gretna, La. The announcement proved a pleasant surprise to family and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Talliax will reside in an attractive home in St. Ann Street, New Orleans, which the groom's father gave him.

## FOR SALE

Fresh cows with young calves, and Black fertilizer. E. V. Younger, Kiln Road. 421-119.

## Deaths

## MRS. MARY D. GARCIA.

Mrs. Mary D. Garcia, a resident of the Lake Shore section of Hancock county, and the 93rd celebration of her birthday which was chronicled in last week's issue of The Echo, her birthday Sunday, April 9, died at 8 o'clock that night from senile debility. Her funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Sunday afternoon, 4 o'clock from her late residence, Rev. Father Costello, pastor, officiating and burial was at Lake Shore cemetery.

Mrs. Edward Borsage, Charles Garcia, Ernest Garcia, Aristide Garcia survive her, also twenty-three grandchildren and fifteen great grandchildren.

## JOSEPH COSPELICH

Joseph Cospelich, pioneer of the Cospelich family and resident of this section, died at the home of a daughter out Washington street on Tuesday of this week, April 18, 1933, 10 o'clock A. M., aged 96 years.

He was buried on the following day, 19th, at 3 o'clock afternoon, Rev. Father Neilus Downing performing the funeral ceremony.

Cospelich was well-known as a ship carpenter and boat builder, a recognized authority in his line. He is survived by quite a large family of children, however, of the number only three reside here, the daughter, Mrs. Farve, at whose home he passed away; Joseph Cospelich, Jr., ship builder at the Mauffray landing on Bayou Ladorse, and Alec Cospelich, local automobile mechanic.

## Beer In Mississippi by December Is Likely According to Survey

(Continued from page 1)

izing in every voting precinct, preparing for a fight to the finish. Vicksburg civic bodies are the only ones that have formally petitioned Governor Conner to call a special session to legalize beer. He has, however, received numerous other petitions from other sections, especially the Delta, the counties along the river and the coast counties with a few from the interior hill counties.

Protest to His Excellency against the proposal have been more numerous than the petitions for it.

## Propose State-Wide Vote.

Governor Conner will not call a special session either to consider beer legislation or to provide for a convention on repeal. He will submit both matters, however, at the next extraordinary session if given reasonable assurances that they will not interfere with the business for which the session may be primarily called. Personally and politically a prohibitionist, he decares the people should be given the opportunity to vote on the issues.

They will have this opportunity within a few months. And it will provide the definite statistics and proved facts now lacking.

Legalization of beer in Mississippi before the end of the year is better than an even bet. But repeal is unlikely. It will be longer before Bourbon will be available legally as a chaser after "corn" in Mississippi.

## Bus Line Again Ordered Rerouted Back To Spanish Trail

The bus line route of travel has been ordered changed to take effect May 1, the city deciding that it would serve the best interests of all to have the bus' taken off the beach altogether and routed all the way back of town and over the O. S. T.

However, representatives of the Teche Transfer Company were here during the week and investigating the matter in an effort to keep the bus on the beach, at least through the business section.

Plebe—"I've added those figures ten times, sir."

Prof.—"Good boy."

Plebe—"And here's the ten answers."—Carnegie Tech. Puppet.

—Leo W. Seal, president Hancock County Bank, has returned from a trip to Jackson, where he attended a meeting of the board of directors of Lamar Life Insurance Company, of which he is a member.

—Mrs. Charles Hillen, accompanied by her relative, Mrs. George Brouette, and party motored from New Orleans Sunday and visited at the Hillen home in State street, also visiting Mrs. Landry.

—Of particular interest to local readers belonging to the Woman's Catholic Council there will be a regular meeting of the Bay St. Louis District at Wayland Monday afternoon at 8 o'clock, school auditorium.

—Mrs. C. T. Etire has been seriously ill this week at her home in Main street and is still confined to her bed, but doing better. Her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rodin were called from their home at Kentwood, La., to her bedside.

—Messrs. E. S. Drake and M. D. Bardon attended the annual Easter service in the Church of the Redeemer Sunday night at Biloxi, on the occasion of special services attended by officers and members of Coast Commanders Knights Templars, who were accompanied by members of Ann Grayson Chapter Order of Eastern Star and the Rainbow. Mrs. Bardon attending in affiliation with the O. E. S. chapter. The gentlemen were in full Templar regalia.

## OFFICIAL ANALYSIS OF BAY ST. LOUIS AND WAVE- LAND WATERWORKS

## Chemical and Bacteriological Analysis Received by Dr. C. M. Shipp, Hancock County Health Officer.

Director H. A. Kroeze, of the Bureau of Sanitary Engineering, Mississippi State Board of Health, has addressed a communication to Dr. C. M. Shipp, county health officer, giving the results of the bacteriological examination of samples of water (Bay St. Louis and Waveland) sent to the laboratory on April 12, which follow. It will be noted the tests were taken from four different wells, as indicated.

Paragraph following figures is Dr. Kroeze's.

Dr. C. M. Shipp, Director Hancock County Health Department Bay St. Louis, Mississippi.

Dear Doctor Shipp:

The following are the results of the bacteriological examination of the samples of water sent to the Laboratory on April 12:

| Number                 | 4991                   | 4992                   | 4993                   | 4994                   |
|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| Your Nos.              | 1                      | 2                      | 3                      | 4                      |
| Bacteria               |                        |                        |                        |                        |
| 24 hours               | 0                      | 0                      | 3                      | 0                      |
| 28 hours               | 48                     | 62                     | 94                     | 82                     |
| B. coli                |                        |                        |                        |                        |
| 10 cc                  | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   |
| 10 cc                  | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   |
| 10 cc                  | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   |
| 10 cc                  | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   |
| 10 cc                  | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   |
| 10 cc                  | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   | Neg.                   |
| Bay                    | Bay                    | Wave-                  | Bay                    | Bay                    |
| St.                    | St.                    | Land St.               | St.                    | St.                    |
| Louis                  | Louis                  | C. v. Louis            | C. v. Louis            | C. v. Louis            |
| City L. & N. Kehoe Ct. | City L. & N. Kehoe Ct. | City L. & N. Kehoe Ct. | City L. & N. Kehoe Ct. | City L. & N. Kehoe Ct. |
| Hall Depot             | Hall Depot             | Hall Depot             | Hall Depot             | Hall Depot             |
| D. F.                  | D. F.                  | D. F.                  | D. F.                  | D. F.                  |

I note your comment relative to the sample No. 3 taken at Waveland. If the water in the pipes in the marsh land is always under pressure, the leaks wouldn't permit the ingress of marsh water. The sample showed no indication of contamination but regardless of this, I would suggest that the leaks all be repaired so that in the event the water should be shut off, there would be no chance for marsh water to get into the pipes. The other three samples also showed excellent results.

## Chemical Analysis.

Dr. Shipp also received some time back a chemical analysis Bay St. Louis water, and it is well to also publish this in connection with the foregoing. This analysis is signed by Dr. W. F. Hand, State chemist. It might be well to clip this valuable and scientific information and keep for future reference.

"We have completed the examination of the sample of water, and we are very much pleased to quote our results of our analysis as follows:

| Parts per Million                |        |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Total solid matter in solution   | 462    |
| Carbonic acid                    | 24     |
| Bicarbonic acid                  | 351.36 |
| Chlorine                         | 42.50  |
| Free ammonia                     | 0.22   |
| Albuminoid ammonia               | 0.32   |
| Nitrogen in the form of nitrates | 0.00   |
| Nitrogen in the form of nitrites | 0.00   |

This water is similar to nearly all deep well water in our state in that the principal components of the solid matter in solution are salt (sodium chloride) and soda (sodium bicarbonate).

The waters usually come from such a depth that surface contamination is impossible. For this reason the rather large amounts of free and albuminoid ammonia are of little significance as indications of impurities. The yellow color is due to the solution of organic matter by the alkaline water.

The sample contains almost no salts of calcium, magnesium, and iron. There is only a trace of sulphates. This is a soft water, and it will color rice, potatoes, and other starchy vegetables very yellow when they are boiled in it. This can be prevented by the use of a little citric acid, a little sour milk. Of course, the water is not suitable for making up starch, for linen because of the yellow color which will be given it when it is ironed, but the addition of a little dilute commercial acetic acid makes it very satisfactory for making up starch. The water is not suitable for watering pot plants.

Please let us know when we may serve you.

## PEOPLE WANT BEER IN MISSISSIPPI INDICATED BY WRITER

Jackson, Miss., April 18.—Governor Conner revealed Saturday that he has received numerous requests for a special session to legalize beer in Mississippi, the requests coming from coast counties bordering the Mississippi river, and a few from interior counties. He added that he had received more protests than requests to date.

"I think the people should be given a chance to vote their wishes on both repeal of prohibition and legalization of beer," Governor Conner said. "I will submit it to the legislature, should I call that body into extraordinary session for some other purpose, provided consideration of these matters would not interfere with the business for which the session was called."

## WITH THE MOVIES AND FILM FOLKS

(For the Sea Coast Echo)

Paramount is working on its 27th Zane Gray picture, "Sunset Pass." These yarns of the West have been consistent money-makers and the cost of production is low on account of the outdoor work.

"Peggy Eaton" by Samuel Hopkins Adams, has been obtained for Miriam Hopkins.

Latest reports are that "Nora" will not be made inasmuch as Jean Harlowe has refused to play the title role.

Katherine Hepburn will appear as "Jo" in Louisa M. Alcott's "Little Women" which is being produced by RKO. It clings to the original in setting and costumes.

Word that Marlene Dietrich has offered to buy "Song of Songs" outright to prevent its release by Paramount is coupled with news that Joseph von Sternburg is back in Hollywood but not yet signed by any company. Most of the producers are concentrating on directors who can make good pictures on a 15-20 day schedule rather than the artistic professors who exhibit a lot of temperament and use much time.

Mary Pickford is organizing her 1933 schedule and the report is that she is considering a color production of "Alice in Wonderland." She will be the only breathing character in the film, the others being animated drawings by Walt Disney.

"Samarang" will soon reach the screens and show pearl diving activities on the coast of Java.

Ann Harding is working at MGM's "When Ladies Meet" with Robert Montgomery, Myrna Loy, Alice Brady and Frank Morgan supporting her. Incidentally, MGM has renewed its options on Jean Harlowe and Lionel Barrymore.

Mae West is ready to go to work on "Rings on Her Fingers."

RKO-Radio plans to produce three musical shows during the next six months. The first, "Maiden Cruise" will be made with Phil Harris, Helen Mack, Charles Ruggles and June Brewster.

Constance Bennett is back from her trip to Europe and now working on "A Bed of Roses."

"Lady Cop" with Spencer Tracy and Sally Eilers is in production.

Will Rogers' next picture will be "The Last Adam," to be adapted from James Couzen's novel by Paul Green. It is the story of a New England country doctor.

Ann Harding, who is financially independent, plans to return to the stage upon the completion of her next two pictures for RKO-Radio. Miss Harding is dissatisfied with the type of pictures given her and sees no hope for a change.

Jean Harlowe and Clark Gable rejected roles in "Nora," which is now to be made under the title of "Midnight Lady," with Loretta Young and Franchot Tone as the stars.

Zasu Pitts has rejected all efforts to readjust her \$3,000 a week contract because of continued offers from other studios and Hal Roach is about to break up her combination with Thelma Todd. Una Merkel is slated to replace Miss Pitts.

Columbia plans to feature Jack Holt in a story about the earthquake, entitled, "The Wrecker."

Delores Del Rio will return to the screen in G. B. Stern's "Modesta," with Joel McCrea.

Clark Gable, Miriam Hopkins and Lionel Barrymore have been cast together in "Strangers Return," written by Phil Strong, who wrote "State Fair."

Richard Dix and Karen Morley will be together in "Ad Man."

Kay Francis and Niles Astor are scheduled for the leads in "Rhapsody," the Hungarian play.

RKO-Radio will feature John Barrymore in "A Fugitive From Glory." The wild scenery of Arabia and the mass action of Bedouins will be the background against which Mr. Barrymore will perform through the Medium of process shots.

## A. &amp; G. Theater

Thursday & Friday, April 20-21. DOROTHY JORDAN & ALEXANDER KIRKLAND in "BONDAQE" Cartoon and Short Subject.

Saturday, April 22. MAE CLARKE & NEIL HAMILTON in "AS THE DEVIL COMMANDS" And comedy.

Sunday-Monday, April 23-24. CONSTANCE BENNETT in "OUR BETTERS" And Radio Musical Comedy.

Tuesday-Wednesday, April 25-26. JANET GAYNOR, WILL ROGERS, SALLY EILERS & LEW AYRES in "STATE FAIR" And comedy.

Thurs. & Friday, April 27-28. "CHRISTOPHER STRONG" Admission—10c & 25c Tax Paid.

## OF SOCIAL INTEREST

(By Our Society Editor)

## COMPLIMENTING MRS. E. J. LACOSTE, JR.

Miss V. Gex, assisted by her mother, Mrs. M. V. Gex, was hostess on Monday afternoon to a beautiful miscellaneous shower given in compliment to Mrs. E. J. Lacoste, Jr., who before her recent marriage was Miss Laurin Gex. There were quite a number of guests to meet the young couple, who had previously been dinner guests, and after the usual greetings and felicitations a shower of dainty and attractive things was presented the honoree of the afternoon.

A tastefully decorated basket of liberal proportions held the various gifts and was carried in by the young Misses Prague.

Delectable refreshment were served later in the afternoon and the happy affair marked another memorable occasion.

Miss Gex was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Sidney W. Prague, Mrs. Stella Gex, Miss Odille Rauxet and Miss Mirelle Testard, the latter of New Orleans and Mrs. Robt. L. Genin.

## ANNOUNCING APPROACHING MARRIAGE.

Engraved folder invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Green, of Bay St. Louis, announcing the approaching marriage of their attractive young daughter, Genevieve, to Mr. Paul Virgil Jaubert, of New Orleans, the event to take place at the church of Our Lady of the Gulf, Thursday morning, the fourth day of May, at eleven o'clock, Bay St. Louis.

## MRS. GEO. R. REA HOSTESS TO TEA FOR MISS GREEN.

Mrs. George R. Rea gave a most delightful afternoon reception and tea Tuesday, complimenting Miss Genevieve Green, of this city, who will become the bride of Mr. Paul V. Jaubert on the morning of Thursday, May 4, at the Church of Our Lady of the Gulf.

Mrs. John W. Bryan poured tea during the reception hours from 4 to 6 and over fifty guests participated in the event.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Rea dressed in a pink georgette and lace, Miss Genevieve Green in pale blue net, Mrs. John A. Green in light blue trimmed with real lace, Miss Margaret Green in pale pink net. Mrs. Bryan wore a cream-colored georgette trimmed with real lace. The tea table looked lovely and in keeping with the general scheme of decoration consisting of Kilnsey roses and larkspurs, a combination of unusual and artistic contrast.

Roses of gorgeous bloom were in tasty and effective settings in the reception and dining rooms.

Assisting in serving: Mrs. George E. Ferchaud, Mrs. Harry G. Glover, Mrs. John T. Nix, Mrs. Edw. C. Carrere, Miss Emma Edwards, Miss Louise Carrere.

A surprise to the bride-elect was a present from a special group of friends consisting a sherry set of eight pieces, crystal set in solid silver, an unusual gift of both sentimental and intrinsic value.

The afternoon was one of interest and claimed wide attention, marking as it does one of the pre-nuptial events for Miss Green.

## ENTERTAIN FOR YOUNG DAUGHTER AT HOME.

Mrs. August Rauxet, residing in Main street, was hostess Sunday afternoon to a party of ten guests, complimenting her daughter, Miss Odille Rauxet, who was home from college for the Easter week-end, on the occasion of her birthday, with Miss Mirelle Testard of New Orleans as a guest of honor.

A feature of the beautiful party was the outdoor feature of an Easter egg hunt over the spacious space of lawn and garden with many intriguing and enchanting nooks where the treasure of the day was hidden.

## VISIT N. O. TO ATTEND TEA FOR MISS GLEASON.

Mrs. John W. Bryan, Mrs. H. P. Burbank and Mrs. Leo E. Kenney, Mrs. John A. Green, Miss Margaret Green, Miss Genevieve Green, went over to New Orleans Wednesday where they attended the formal tea given by Mrs. W. L. Gleason at the Gleason family home in Napoleon avenue, complimenting her daughter, Miss Corinne L. Gleason, who will become the bride of Mr. Francis Grieme, on Wednesday of next week, April 26, 10 o'clock, at the church of the Immaculate Conception, New Orleans. The tea was one of the many pre-nuptial events given for Miss Gleason by a wide circle of friends, and was noted for the beauty and splendor of floral and silver setting.

## FIRST DAY OF SPRING.

Oh! Spring is knocking at your heart, Dropping a timid violet; Her lips the song of Love has caught With honey dew all wet.

Oh, Spring is calling unto you, Calling to every one; Tripping she comes, joy to renew, With flowers in the sun.

Oh, hark, to music of Spring's voice, With winds pushing the trees Oh, Spring is here, rejoicing, With God's sweet mysteries.

—RIFORD J. LINCOLN.

Shy of Gae. Dentist's Daughter—"Well, dear, have you asked father for my hand yet?" Shy Suitor—"No. Every time I step into his office I lose courage. To-day I allowed him to pull another tooth."—Boston Transcript.

## COAST Serve Self Grocery

On the Beach Bay St. Louis, Miss.  
FRIDAY & SATURDAY, APRIL 21 & 22.

PEACHES Del Monte Halves or Slices, No. 2 1/2 can ..... 15c  
No. 1 Tall Can ..... 10c

FLOUR BIG M 24 lb. sack ..... 75c  
DAINTY, Plain 24 lb. sack ..... 80c  
5 lb. sack ..... 25c

LARD in packages, lb. .... 6c

COFFEE French Opera with chic. lb. 19c  
Maxwell House, pure-Pulverized, lb. .... 27c

RICE Extra Fancy, Blue Rose, 5 lbs. for 15c

SALT 1 1/2 lb. boxes 2 for 5c

POTATOES Irish, 10 lbs. for 17c

CORN No. 2 Can Stokely's Country Gentleman, Whole Kernel, American Pride, 2 for 15c

SALMON Pillar Rock, large can 25c

OLEO Silver Nut, lb. 10c  
Favormar, lb. 12c

LETTUCE & CELERY, 2 for 15c



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## COMMENT ON SPORTS SHERIDAN

SHARKEY'S EARNINGS. DROP TENNIS OPEN. SARAZEN BOOSTS BURKE. BASEBALL PROSPECTS.

Jack Sharkey is said to be worth well over a million dollars, earned in the ring. He participated in a number of big bouts in New York and his appearances in Madison Square Garden from 1926-30 were before gates that totaled almost \$3,200,000. The biggest purse was the \$1,083,000 that were paid to see his fight with Jack Dempsey in 1927. His bout with Schmeling in 1930 drew \$712,000. In Miami, in 1929, he fought Striling before a \$405,000 house.

Edward J. Neil says that Jack Dempsey has nothing like a million dollars left of his gigantic earnings, and that Gene Tunney, after a hard time to match that sum, Young Striling is understood to have earned \$500,000 in some 200 fights.

Contrasted with these fighters, Old Tom Henney, who drew down \$105,000 in one fight less than five years ago, recently took a bad beating from Stanley Poreda in a small New York club for \$200. Among the thousand spectators who watched the old war horse try to come back was his wife, who sobbed as blood flowed from his face.

The proposed Open Tennis Tournament, decided upon two months ago at the annual meeting of the U. S. Lawn Tennis Association, has been abandoned because of inability to find a suitable schedule. While this decision was based upon schedule difficulties, there were other contributing influences, particularly the opinion of the International Federation, which disapproved of the open championship at its recent meeting in Paris.

Also it was pointed out that a council member of the English Lawn Tennis Association had stated that any amateur who competed in the open championship would be barred from playing at Wimbledon, although it is generally agreed that each nation is the sole arbiter of the amateur status of its players. Besides, in view of the stand taken by foreign countries, no amateurs from those countries